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INSURGENTS RAZE
ALBANIAN VILLAGE

Brindisi, Sept. 14.—A report reaching here from Avlona, Albania, is to the effect that insurgents have invaded the village of Zecani and burned down the houses and devastated the fields.

BUILDING NOTES
OF LOCAL INTEREST

Bids are now being received for the proposed Read Memorial Chapel to be erected in Mountain Grove cemetery. The building will be one story high of rubble stone and granite with a tiled roof. It will have steam heat and cost \$40,000.

G. Drouve has had plans drawn for a handsome home which he will erect shortly in North avenue.

James Dunn is to build a handsome residence at Beechwood avenue and Blackman place.

The building on the southeast corner of Main street and North avenue is to be remodeled for a large store on the ground floor.

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Work has started on a storage building for the Rubber Ice Cream Co., at 809 Seaview avenue.

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Work will start this week on a two-story house in Marion street for Joseph Whelan.

A four-family house is in course of construction in Jefferson street for Frank Petrillo.

Three three-family houses are being built by Guya Voeys in Hancock avenue. He will build five more in the same street, the work to start very shortly.

Work has started on a one-family house in East avenue for Daniel Kopf.

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EASTON

The young ladies of the Baptist church gave a very pleasing entertainment at the Baptist parsonage Friday evening. During the evening a corn roast was enjoyed. A fine musical program was prepared by Rev. F. S. Clark, including several instrumental solos. The following were present: Miss Alice W. Lyon, both of Bridgeport. Candy was on sale and in charge of Misses Mary Tyler and Elizabeth Andrews.

The Democratic committee has nominated the following for office for the coming year: Selectmen, Willard S. Gillette and Edward S. Williams; board of relief, Elmer S. Andrews and Charles F. Keller; collector, G. Burr Tucker; assessors, J. Arthur Sherwood; auditor, Wakeman Wheeler; grand jurors, John Sherwood, Moses Thorpe, Turney Northrop and Charles G. Jones; registrar, John H. Candee. Charles F. Nichols was chairman and J. Arthur Sherwood, secretary of the nominating convention.

Miss Minnie O. Sherwood and Erwin P. Edwards were guests Saturday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards.

JOIN THE HOOSIER CLUB. Cut the cords that bind you to your kitchen by joining the Hoosier club. Nothing you have ever seen will save you so much labor as a Hoosier cabinet. You see this wonderful device will save her time, work, steps and worry now on exhibition at Nothnagle's house furnishing store. Forty-five ladies joined the club Saturday.

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VICTORY OF ALLES OVER
GERMANS "INCONTESTABLE"
SAYS FRENCH COMMANDER

London, Sept. 14.—"Incontestable" is the adjective used by General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French forces, in describing the victory claimant by the allies along the western battle front. The latest official communication from Paris indicates that the advance is continuing all along the line with the allies' left wing now across the river Aisne.

But little news and that of the vaguest sort, filters through from Germany regarding the operations in the west, though it is evident from the tone of the Berlin official statements that the people are being warned not to be too optimistic as certain reverses may be expected. The latest actual battle news in Berlin describes a sortie from Paris on September 6, which it is stated has been repulsed.

Despatches from many sources, including Vienna, indicate that the Austrian army in Galicia is in some straits but the story of its complete destruction is evidently exaggerated, as the latest Russian reports indicate that General Russky's forces are still meeting organized resistance in Galicia, evident, however, from the disposition of the combatants that the Austrian center was crumpled up while the left wing was hurled back into the marshy region of the river San. This left wing composed of the flower of the Austrian troops, may be caught in a trap, making unconditional surrender their only alternative.

POWERFUL FRENCH
ARMY MAY BEGIN
GERMAN PURSUIT

London, Sept. 14.—A despatch to the Times from Paris says:

"The general in command in Paris has a half million fresh troops under his control to be used presumably in pursuing the enemy."

"News that the German forces from Paris to Mons and to Saint-Denis are falling back shows that the five German armies of Generals Von Kluck, Von Buelow, Crown Prince Frederick William, the Duke of Wuertemberg and that operating in Moselle are in retreat."

"The difficulties of the retreating army are many and there are good chances that the allies may annihilate them before they reach the frontier."

The Germans appear to be abandoning their natural route, the valley of the Oise, endeavoring to withdraw further eastward to the barren and difficult country of the Champagne, where the roads are poor and provision scant. Beyond is the forest of Ardennes and to the east the wooded and clayed regions of the Forest of Argonne, a formidable barrier to progress. Beyond is the Meuse, most of the bridges of which will be destroyed.

"If they have actually abandoned the Oise valley, the German lines of communication are reduced to one, passing by Givet, Namur and Liege. The other, passing Mexilera, Montmedy and Trumburg, the next line to the south, is commanded by the guns at Verdun."

AUSTRIA MOVING HER TROOPS FROM BORDER

Rome, Sept. 13.—9:15 p. m.—Via Paris, Sept. 14, 5:17 a. m.—The Giornale d'Italia says that Austria has moved her first line of troops from the Italian frontier, especially from Grenzschutzen. The companies of the Alpine sharpshooters are needed against the Russians.

The Austrians have prepared a defensive force consisting of gendarmes and reservists of the Landwehr, besides cutting all the roads with ditches and barbed wire and 10 feet deep. The possible landing of a hostile force at Trieste, which is unfortified, has been provided for by entrenching the mountains overlooking the town.

PANIC IN VIENNA FOLLOWS NEWS OF SERBIAN SUCCESS

London, Sept. 14.—A despatch to the Central News from Petrograd, dated Sunday, says it is reported from Bucharest that a panic occurred in Vienna on receipt of the news of the capture of Semlin by the Serbians, and that thousands of unemployed are parading the streets of the capital.

"The military stores and even the stock of uniforms proved to be insufficient, the correspondent says, and as a result the third levy of reservists are going to the front in civilian clothes. The Russian number of 2,500 liberated from captivity in Germany have arrived in Petrograd by way of Finland. It is stated that the reason for this liberation is that the German check-book is somewhat depleted."

RUSSIAN TROOPS IN BELGIUM

London, Sept. 14.—In a despatch from Ghent, the correspondent of the Daily Mail says that after two days of investigation he has confirmed the statement that Russian troops are in Belgium.

GENERAL JOFFRE PRAISED.

Bordeaux, Sept. 14.—Gabriel Hanotaux, former minister of foreign affairs, in an article in L'Eclair, pays a warm tribute to General Joffre, the French commander, and its English armistice. He considers that the honors of the day belong to the latter and General French.

GERMANS LOSE CAVALRY.

London, Sept. 14.—A despatch to the Express from Paris says: "The German losses in cavalry are appalling. A German cavalry officer who commanded at the Olympia horse show a few years ago, and is now a prisoner, estimates that the wastage in cavalry horses, especially in Belgium, amounts to two-thirds of the total strength at the time of the German operations in the direction of Paris."

Caravelli, a city in the Department of Arequipa, Peru, was destroyed by an earthquake for the second time. The residents are fleeing, abandoning all their household goods.

ing the resources of petroleum in Austria to meet the shortage of naphtha.

The Belgian mobile force has retired to Antwerp most with the official explanation that it has served its purpose in preventing German reinforcements from joining the army in France. This force operated for four days in the Brussels-Louvain-Malines triangle, forcing the Germans to abandon much of that portion of Belgium. In connection with this movement it is reported that the Belgians are cutting German communications.

Other sources declare that the Belgians were compelled to return because the Germans were strongly reinforced from Liege. Most interesting rumors coming out of Belgium is a report in a Paris newspaper that the German governor of the occupied Belgian territory entered Antwerp and ordered the organized resistance in a fruitless attempt to come to terms with the Belgian government.

Italy is still preserving neutrality but has joined the triple entente among belligerents in a protest against the revocation of the capitulations by Turkey.

SOME SIDELIGHTS
ON WORLD'S WAR

War gossip, speculation and incidents of the field continue to fill the pages of the London papers that are not occupied with official communications. An Exchange Telegraph company despatch from Rome says that a message from Vienna states that the feeling is growing at the Austrian capital that continuance by Austria of the present war depends on the outcome of the battle in Galicia, which are growing to a climax with a battle at Bawa Ruska, west of Lemberg. The Austrian crown prince, Gen. Conrad and Archduke Frederick are on the ground during the engagement.

The News of the World, describing the death of the British officer, Archibald Winsor-Clive, younger son of the earl of Plymouth, says that seeing whom he took to be an English officer wearing a cloak of an officer of a certain regiment, he rushed forward and saluted him. The officer proved to be a German, who drew a revolver and shot Winsor-Clive.

A message from Liverpool says that Lieut. Comdr. Ritter von Moring, chief hydrographer of the Austrian army, has arrived there a prisoner of war.

Retter's Paris correspondent says that the Matin reports that military and civilian doctors are puzzled because several Germans died as a result of a single wound. The doctors' careful treatment. Postmortems revealed the presence in the stomach of raw beet to which particles of dirt had been attached. The men had devoured the roots torn hastily from the fields as the army retired.

The Daily Post a new English paper appearing in Paris asserts that Gen. von Kluck's provisioning base has been cut. The Echo de Paris states that it learns that several German generals have admitted that the troops have reached the end of their resistance and are incapable of the slightest additional effort.

The Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company says: "A dispatch from Basel, Switzerland, states that between Blois and Sierens, Albi, French cavalry, supported by artillery, annihilated two squadrons of German cavalry. All the horses of the invaders were killed. The number of German troops killed was very large."

A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Athens says that the Serbian army is acting on a concerted plan of campaign, with the Russian general staff. With Semlin occupied, their next objective is Peterwardein, the capture of which will open the plain of Hungary to them. The Serbian forces, having crossed the Novitzka frontier, are advancing on Kalanovitch, 40 miles south of Sarajevo.

EGGS BRING \$2.50
DOZEN IN HAMBURG;
FOOD FAMINE NEAR

Rome, Sept. 14.—The Giornale d'Italia declares that Hamburg is in a serious situation on account of lack of food and unemployment.

A returning traveler brought the information and says that while he was in Hamburg eggs were selling there at \$2.50 a dozen, while the fresh meat was priceless, all cattle having been requisitioned.

The smallest quantity of fresh milk, butter and eggs is reserved for the hospitals, the remainder, together with all other available food is taken to the army storehouses where it is accumulated by the general staff for the use of the army.

Traffic has practically ceased in Hamburg, it is asserted, and 1,500 ships are idle.

RUSSIANS REJOICE OVER REPORTS OF FRONTIER VICTORY

London, Sept. 14.—A Petrograd despatch to the Central News describes the scene of tremendous enthusiasm on the first night of imperial grandeur on the destruction of the Austrian army between the rivers Bug and Dniester was read in the middle of the performance.

The Russian hymn was sung over and over again and national anthems were also sung while the ambassadors and ministers of those countries bowed from boxes.

The Russian minister of commerce and industry has dispatched a commission of engineers to the town of Strij, Galicia, with a view of studying the resources of petroleum in Austria to meet the shortage of naphtha.

NEW YORK EXPERT
REVIEWS SITUATION
IN FINANCIAL WORLD

Reopening of Stock Exchange Would Result in Heavy Liquidation of Railroad Bonds Held in Europe, Say Wall Street Men—War Makes Fortune For a Commission House.

(The Barron Financial News Service.)

New York, Sept. 14.—A further argument set forth by those who are opposed to the reopening of the Stock Exchange at this time is that the resumption of trading would bring about the liquidation of a tremendous amount of American railroad bonds held in Europe. Estimates of these foreign holdings range from \$1,500,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000, with the latter figure probably the more accurate.

Financial interests are worrying over this phase of the situation, and they declare that unless railroad bonds are made more attractive than at present, given greater security through increased net earnings—the danger of heavy foreign liquidation may become very serious. This is one of the chief reasons why the demand for increased railroad rates is more urgent than ever before.

The position of the savings banks, and even the life insurance companies, it is pointed out, depends upon the stability of the market. Maintenance of prices at figures as high as those prevailing when the Stock Exchange closed is the aim of all financiers who are working for the best interests of the financial structure.

While the war has wrought havoc with the fortunes of many and with business generally, there are nevertheless a few individuals who have been able to substantially increase their fortunes as a direct result of it. The statement of a customer of a prominent commission house, which was made up a few days ago, showed a profit of \$60,000, gained through the purchase of raw sugar a few weeks ago when it was selling around two cents a pound, and on the purchase of May wheat bought at 84 cents a bushel and sold at \$1.10, and an advance in wheat even from the \$1.10 level has probably afforded handsome profits to quite a number of sagacious wheat operators.

That 1914 was a decidedly poor year for the general run of industrial enterprises is indicated in a striking way by the severe decline in gross and net earnings of the American Locomotive Co., as revealed in the annual report for the year ended June 30.

During the first six months, or the last half of 1913, the company did fairly well, but in the closing half of the period earnings ran exceedingly low, the final results showing gross amounting to \$20,987,483 against \$54,883,175 in the previous year, and net amounting to \$3,563,353 against \$26,484 in 1913. The net returns were equal to 1.30 per cent on the \$25,000,000 common stock against 17.74 per cent earned on the same amount of stock in 1913.

According to Frederick Marshall, the poor showing was due partly to the fact that locomotive prices were so low as to leave a very slight margin of profit on the orders secured. In order to keep the plant operating, some orders were accepted practically at cost.

On September 15, the Public Service Commission for the second district will resume consideration of the New York Central and Lake Shore application for authority to consolidate. General stockholders voted in favor of the step last July and the Lake Shore stockholders have acquiesced in the consolidation.

Application has already been made in five states. The Ohio commission decided that the law did not prevent it with jurisdiction over consolidations. Pennsylvania has submitted in New York, Pennsylvania and Illinois. The case has not been laid before the Michigan commission, but it is to be as soon as the commission sets a date and it is believed that submission of the evidence there will not take long.

President Markham, of the Illinois Central, makes the railroad about to receive 1 per cent of the proposed 3 per cent tax on freight bills as compensation for handling the levy. He does not believe that the tax would tend to reduce either freight or passenger traffic of the roads.

(T. L. Watson & Co.)

Slowly but surely we are working toward a restoration of normal conditions in a good time to look at the advantages of this country, isolated from the destruction of war; producing annually one-fifth of the world's gold production and holding more gold than any other nation; full of other vast mineral resources; more than agriculturally self-dependent; able to manufacture all materials necessary for high civilization; development; young, vigorous and with an ever-growing population. Peace and plenty are absolutely our portion and more than ever should we count our blessings—the blessings, especially, of this particular year.

Don't endure the needless pain and torment of rheumatism, aggravated as it is by the hot weather. W. T. Hutchens, Nicholson, Ga., says: "I suffered the aches and pains of rheumatism, swollen feet, irregular painful bladder action, but Foley Kidney Pills did me up quickly. Foley's are the best. Hindle's Drug Store.—Adv."

YALE ELEVEN TO RETURN TO HOME FIELD NEXT WEEK

Yale football players enjoyed a Sabbath day rest over at Camp Taibott, Madison, yesterday. Coach Hinkey has mapped out a strenuous campaign for the present week, which will probably include scrimmaging. The players will break camp next Sunday and start daily practice on Yale field the following Monday.

The past week of football practice has shown the Blue team this year probably will be lighter by several pounds than the one which was mauled by Harvard last November.

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OBITUARY

HENRY TRYAN.

The body of Henry Tryan, for many years an employee of the Bannum circus, under the name of Harry St. Clair, was shipped to Hartford this morning for burial. Tryan was well known in circles in many parts of the country, having been connected with them in various capacities for many years. An uncle, James Hill, a Hartford contractor, claimed the body.

ALIDA NELSON HENDERSON

The funeral of Mrs. Alida Nelson Henderson, wife of Peter T. Henderson, was held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence, 176 Cottage street. Mrs. Henderson is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Herbert Shaw, Mildred and Elsie Henderson, two sons, Harry and Walter, a mother, Mrs. N. B. Henderson, and a brother, Y. E. Nelson of Jersey City. A large number of friends were present at the services. Many floral tokens were received. Burial was in Lakeview cemetery.

Five aviators in five different types of aeroplanes, dropped bombs at a target twenty feet in diameter at Hempstead Plains aviation field, the nearest landing twenty-nine feet from the target.

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All those willing to assist on Tag Day can leave their name and address at the Association Rooms, 475 State Street, or 'Phone 3974.

LITTLE BENNY'S NOTE BOOK

By Lee Page.

I've got a good joke awn the whilst club lays awl rite, ma sed to pop last nite. Good, lets hear it, sed pop, I've wated 12 years to heer you spring a good joke, and thares no resin yw I should be diskrutidged now.

The joke is awn them, awl rite, sed ma, you see, we were supposid to meet at Kitty Morrissees house this afternoon, but only 4 of us showed up, so instead of playing whilst Kitty Morrissees showed us how to play poker, and we had a regular game of poker.

Good nite, sed pop, you didnt play for many, I hope.

We serenty did, sed ma, eech chip was, werth a sent and we eodt have awl the chips we wuntid.

Sum galm, sed pop.

It serenty was sed ma, it was as exciting as anything and I got strave flushes and full houses and evvrything, and pritty soon I had pritty near awl the chips, and she took the chips and startid to laff and showed her hand and heer she didnt have a thing, and I told her it wasent fare, and that the chips belonged to me, and we had an argewmint and she woodest give the chips back, so wat did I do but put awl the chips in my satchil and took them rite home with me, and awl if you want to see them they still in my satchil.

Wat, sed pop, do you mean to say you took the chips home with you insid of getteng them washed.

Thats exactly wat I did, sed ma, wasent that a grate joke awn the rest of them.

It was a grate joke awn on sum-boddy sed pop, but far be it from me to menshin any nams.

O, I no who you mean, sed ma, you mean Kitty Morrissees.

Good nite, sed pop.

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